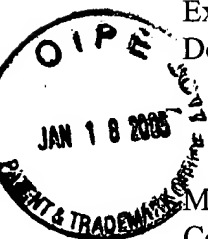


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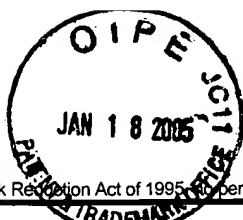
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Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
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Multiple dependent claims	360	180
Total Claims		
26 - 22 = 4		
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In response to the Office Actions dated April 5, 2004 and December 14, 2004 regarding the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application and enter the response and remarks as indicated below. In view of the rejection in the Office Action dated December 14, 2004 of the Claim amendments submitted in the Amendment and Response dated September 4, 2004, the Amendments to the Claims below are respectfully submitted with the understanding that the amendments, including the new claims, submitted with the Amendment and Response dated September 4, 2004 were not entered. Therefore, the Amendments to the Claims below are respectfully submitted as amendments to original Claims 7, and 10-14; Claims 23-26 are submitted as new claims.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** that begins on page 4 of this paper.

Response and Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.